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WEEKLY SUMMARY AIR AND NAVAL ORDER OF BATTLE NORTH VIETNAM 12-18 JUNE 1965

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PREFACE

This weekly summary lists the air and naval order of battle imaged on photography covering North Vietnam. All active airfields and naval bases will be reported. Active targets are those where an order of battle has been observed since [REDACTED]. Inactive targets showing an order of battle will be reactivated.

Naval vessels observed in river naval areas, dispersal areas, or untargeted areas and aircraft observed in untargeted areas will be located to the nearest second.

Targets are arranged 1) within the country by subject,

2) within the subject by WAC area, and 3) within the WAC area by geographic coordinates in ascending order.

Coverage on each target will be presented in chronological order. Aircraft and naval vessels observed in untargeted areas will be listed separately at the end of this report.

An explanation of column headings and photo references used in presenting the information is contained in the appendix.

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Target	Coordinates	WAC	Target Numbers	
			BE	NPIC
<p>-NORTH VIETNAM-</p> <p>AIR INSTALLATIONS</p> <p>HAIPHONG/KIEN AN AIRFIELD 25X1A</p> <p>COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>AIRCRAFT -- 4 CAB, 1 PROBABLE COLT, AND 1 POSSIBLE COLT.</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>AIRCRAFT -- 3 CAB.</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>HAIPHONG/CAT BI AIRFIELD 25X1A</p> <p>COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>AIRCRAFT -- 10 MAX/MOOSE, 1 PROBABLE MAX/MOOSE, 1 COLT, AND 4 PROBABLE DUMMY FAGOT/FRESCO.</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>AIRCRAFT -- 7 MAX, 2 COLT, AND 4 PROBABLE DUMMY SWEPT-WING.</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>HANOI/BAC MAI AIRFIELD 25X1A</p> <p>COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] 25X1D</p>	2048N 10636E	0616	25X1A	109-B
	2049N 10643E	0616		109-A
	2100N 10550E	0616		112-E

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25X1D	AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED]			25X1A	
25X1A	HANOI/GIA LAM AIRFIELD	2102N 10553E	0616	[REDACTED]	114
25X1D	COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED]				
25X1D	AIRCRAFT -- 12 PROBABLE CRATE AND 4 PROBABLE CAB.				
25X1D	[REDACTED]				
25X1A	PHUC YEN AIRFIELD	2113N 10548E	0616	[REDACTED]	326-C
25X1D	COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED]				
25X1D	AIRCRAFT -- 7 BEAGLE, 68 FAGOT/FRESCO, 1 COLT, AND 8 DUMMY FAGOT/FRESCO (PARKED ON GRASS)				
25X1D	[REDACTED]				
25X1D	IDENTIFICATION ONLY. [REDACTED]			[REDACTED]	
25X1A	KEP HA AIRFIELD	2123N 10640E	0616		397
25X1D	COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED]				
25X1D	AIRCRAFT -- 3 CAB AND 4 SMALL STRAIGHT-WING.				
25X1A	KEP AIRFIELD	2124N 10616E	0616	[REDACTED]	211
25X1D	COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED]				
25X1D	AIRCRAFT -- 1 HOUND. [REDACTED]				
25X1D	[REDACTED]				

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25X1D [REDACTED] IDENTIFICATION ONLY. [REDACTED]			25X1A	
25X1D VINH AIRFIELD 25X1A COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] [REDACTED] AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED]	1843N 10540E	0617	[REDACTED]	128-A
25X1D MILITARY INSTALLATIONS HAIPHONG NAVAL BASE [REDACTED] VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] IDENTIFICATION ONLY. [REDACTED]	2052N 10640E	0616	[REDACTED]	109-E
25X1A QUANG KHE NAVAL BASE CUU DINH COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] [REDACTED] VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED]	1742N 10629E	0617	[REDACTED]	288
25X1D BA DON NAVAL BASE COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] 25X1A [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	1743N 10626E	0617	[REDACTED]	102-D
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	Target	Coordinates	WAC	Target Numbers	
				BE	NPIC
25X1D	IDENTIFICATION ONLY. [REDACTED]				
25X1D	SONG CA (RIVER) NAVAL AREA [REDACTED] VESSELS -- 3 CAMOUFLAGED POSSIBLE SWATOW-CLASS PGM AT 18-38-03N 105-47-36E, 18-38-06N 105-47-39E, AND 18-38-08N 105-47-27E.	1839N 10542E	0617		128-D1
25X1D	[REDACTED]			25X1A	
25X1D	PHUC LOI NAVAL BASE COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] 25X1A [REDACTED] VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED.	1844N 10545E	0617	[REDACTED]	128-M
25X1D	[REDACTED] VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED]				
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APPENDIX

COLUMN HEADINGS

City, Installation--This column contains the name of the city or town nearest the installation, followed by the name of the installation. If the name of the installation is not known, it is titled according to its function. Where appropriate, the city and installation names are followed by a capsule description.

Coordinates--Coordinates are referenced to the SW corner of the minute square. When the subject installation covers a wide area, coordinates are given for the approximate center of the installation.

WAC--This column provides the World Aeronautical Chart number for that area in which the subject installation is situated.

Installation Numbers--This column is divided into two subcolumns. The first subcolumn lists, when known, the BE installation number assigned to the installation. The second subcolumn lists the installation number assigned by NPIC. Installation numbers, when used to reference an item, should be prefixed by the appropriate WAC number, since installation numbers are repeated from WAC to WAC. For example, there is an NPIC target number 0468-15-A

and an NPIC target number 0467-15-A. In each instance, the NPIC installation number is 15-A, but the installations appear on different WAC charts.

COMOR TARGET NUMBERS

Target numbers assigned by the Committee on Overhead Reconnaissance (COMOR), when available, are listed directly above the photo reference data.

PHOTO REFERENCE DATA

The photo reference data indicates the frame(s) on which the installation appears.

CONDITIONS AFFECTING PHOTOGRAPHY

Following the photo reference data, symbols indicate conditions which affect the appearance of the installation on the photography. The symbols are: C (clear); SC (scattered cloud cover); HC (heavy cloud cover); SC-HC (scattered-to-heavy cloud cover); H (haze); CS (cloud shadow); SD (semidarkness); S (snow); PC (partial coverage); O (obliquity); and PQ (poor image quality).

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